



# **Presentation to the SITAC Meeting**

**July 21, 2014**

**Brynhild Haugland Room  
State Capitol Building**



## Agenda



<b>Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>	<b>Presenter</b>
1:00	Welcome / Opening Comments	Mike Ressler
1:05	EA Waivers and Standards	Jeff Quast
1:15	General Update: Cyber Insurance Interim Studies Legislative Bill Drafts	Mike Ressler
1:30	IT Vendor Pool Results	Pam Schafer
1:40	Cloud Strategy	Dan Sipes
2:00	BREAK	
2:10	DHS Eligibility System Modernization	Mark Molesworth / DHS
2:15	IT Projects - Successful Processes	Mark Molesworth
2:35	ITD 2015-17 Budget Rates	Dan Sipes / Mike Ressler
2:55	Open Discussion / Closing Comments	Mike Ressler



# **Welcome / Opening Comments**

## **New SITAC Members**

**Ryan Rauschenberger – Tax Commissioner**

**Cheri Giesen – ND Job Services Executive Director**



**Jeff Quast,  
Program  
Administrator**

**Enterprise  
Architecture**







## Enterprise Architecture Standards



- Desktop Search
  - Rescinded
- Employee Security Awareness
  - Minor changes due to cyclical review
- Email
  - Created to combine/replace 2 Groupware standards
  - More accurately reflects modern use of Email
  - Some language moved to an ITD SLA
- Remote Access
  - Now requires MFA and VPN for remote access to sensitive data as defined by an agency



## Enterprise Architecture Approved Requests for Exceptions



Dept. of Human Services – to not use an nd.gov domain for the Parents Lead website – (expires end of life of existing web site)

Office of Management and Budget – to not use the ND Login for the Candidate Gateway / Talent Acquisition Manager modules of PeopleSoft (expires/revisited one year after implementation)

Secretary of State – to not use the ND Login for the implementation of Online Campaign Finance Disclosure – (expires June 30,2015)

Dept. of Emergency Services – to not use the ND Login for the ND Special Needs Registry – (expires at End of Application)



## Enterprise Architecture Approved Requests for Exceptions



Parks and Recreation – to use a generic NDGOV account for shared use of Point of Sale applications – (expires when the standard is updated)

Office of the Attorney General – to not use the ND Login for the lottery's Games Management System – (expires when the current contract expires)

Dept. of Financial Institutions – to allow 3 email users to receive .zip file attachments from NCUA – (expires when standard is changed)

Dept. of Emergency Services – to not use the ND Login for the Emergency Management Grants process – (expires upon enhancement of the ND Login process)



**Questions?**





# Mike Ressler CIO





# Cyber Insurance



## **Interim Technology Studies**

**1) Desktop Study – Eide Bailly (ITD)**

<http://www.nd.gov/itd/files/publications/2013-desktop-study.pdf>

**2) Digital Archives Study – Tournesol (ITD)**

**3) Data Center Consolidation – UmmelGroup (OMB)**

**4) DPI / ITD Technology Employee Review – Eide Bailly (DPI)**



## Legislative IT Committee Meeting on June 18, 2014

### **Committee Passed 1 Bill Draft:**

1) Implement the Recommendations of the Eide Bailly Desktop Support Study

### **Committee Proposed 2 Bill Drafts:**

1) Implement the recommendations of the UmmelGroup Study (removes OMB's ability to give agencies a waiver from hosting with ITD)

2) Implement the recommendations of the UmmelGroup Study and remove the exemption of the Attorney General's Office from hosting in the ITD Data Center





## **4201 Normandy Street North Move-In Date: August 1<sup>st</sup>**





**Pam Schafer**





## **IT Professional Services Contract Pool**

- February 2014 – Released RFP
- Agencies staff involvement
  - 11 agencies along with ITD participated in the Technical Category review process
  - Thank you to all agencies that helped!
- July 2014 - Contracts were awarded to selected vendors
  - 55 vendors awarded contracts out of 67 vendor proposals



## **IT Professional Services Contract Pool**

- OMB (State Procurement) extended existing contracts based on agencies' open work orders





## IT Professional Services Contract Pool

- State Contract 095 is listed on ND State Procurement Office websites online system
  - <https://apps.nd.gov/csd/spo/services/bidder/main.htm>
    - Select List Contracts and search for Number 095 Contract
  - 2014-2016 Contract Information and Rates
  - Work order form and change order form are located on this site
  - ITD reviews work orders > \$25,000
  - Work orders > \$250,000 (an agency must issue a work order request to a minimum of three of the awarded vendors)



# **Dan Sipes Deputy CIO**





# State of North Dakota Private Cloud

ITD Managed (on premise)

## SaaS

Software as a Service

Prior layer plus Data,  
Applications

Exchange

SharePoint

FileNet

## PaaS

Platform as a Service

Prior layer plus Middleware,  
Runtime

Oracle

SQL

ADABAS/DB2

File and Print

## Managed IaaS

Managed  
Infrastructure as a Service

Prior layer plus the OS

Windows Servers

Linux Servers

AIX Servers

AS/400

z/Series Server

Storage Area Network

Network Attached Storage

Replication/Data Backup

## IaaS

Infrastructure as a Service

Data Center Network, Storage,  
Servers, Virtualization

ITD does not offer this - we are evaluating a service in response to the Ummel Group Report

Potential Offering: Server images with no pre-loaded OS – OS admin level access

## Underlying Infrastructure

Identity Management Infrastructure - Single Credential Authentication and Authorization (Active Directory)

Centralized Security, Logging and Monitoring

Protected/Resilient State Network

Disaster Recovery Capability and High Availability



# External Cloud Offerings

ITD will serve in a “Cloud Broker” role for any External Cloud Services

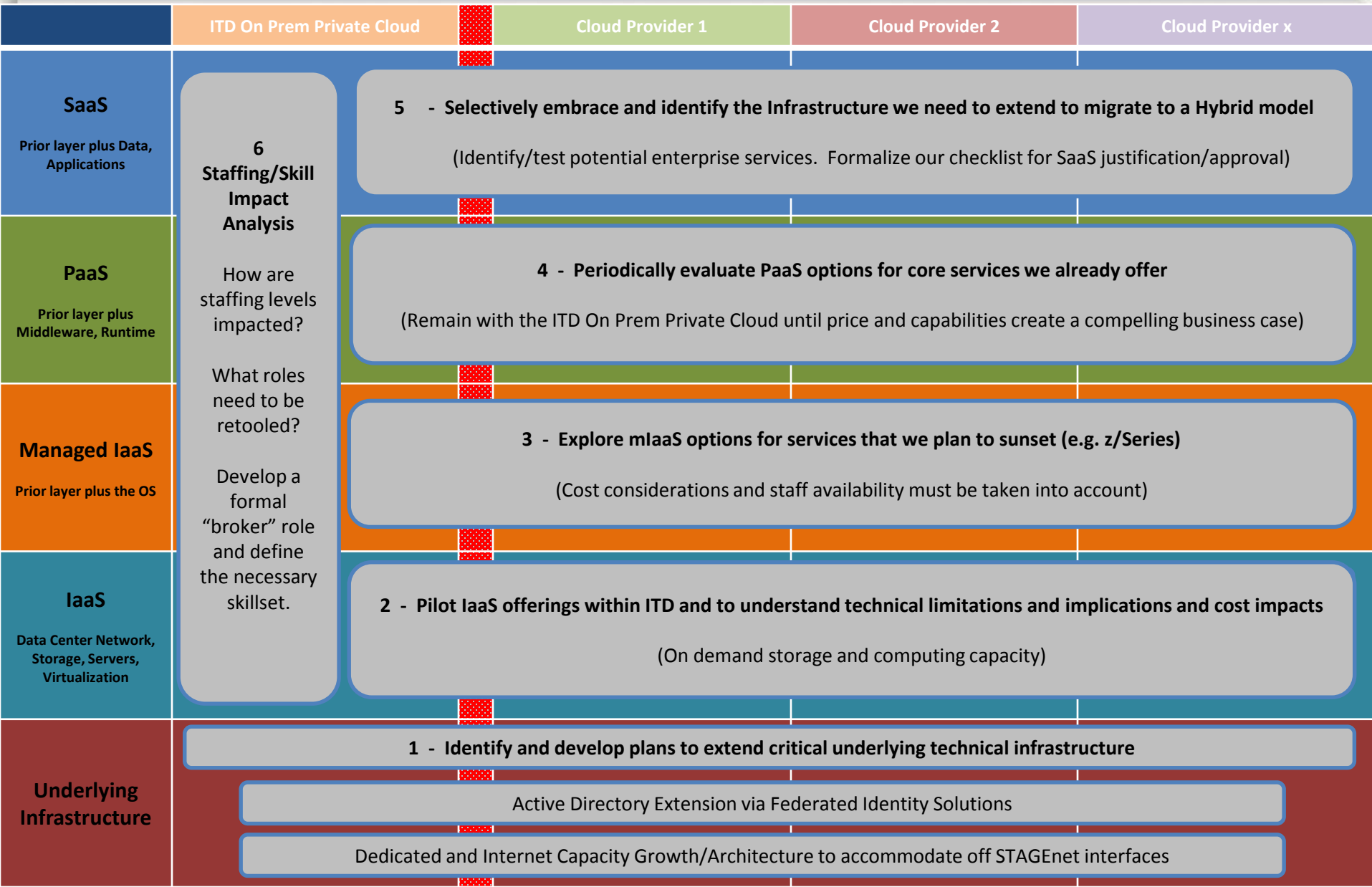
	Cloud Provider 1	Cloud Provider 2	Cloud Provider x
<b>SaaS</b>  Software as a Service  Prior layer plus Data, Applications	Any SaaS agreements require a Waiver – may allow in some instances (ITD serves as the broker) (ITD needs to develop criteria)		
	WyCAN	BND Apps PowerSchool?	Exchange? SharePoint?
<b>PaaS</b>  Platform as a Service  Prior layer plus Middleware, Runtime	Any PaaS agreements will be approved, contracted and managed by ITD		
	Office 365		
<b>Managed IaaS</b>  Managed Infrastructure as a Service  Prior layer plus the OS	Agencies are not allowed to purchase mIaaS – must get these service from ITD		
		z/Series Server	
<b>IaaS</b>  Infrastructure as a Service  Data Center Network, Storage, Servers, Virtualization	Agencies are not allowed to purchase IaaS – must get these service from ITD		
	ITD may buy IaaS service externally making our cloud a Hybrid Cloud		
<b>Underlying Infrastructure</b>	How do we securely extend/expose our Identity Management Infrastructure (Active Directory) to multiple cloud providers?		
	Who is responsible for centralized reporting for activity occurring outside of the state data center?		
	How does growth in the external cloud impact the network infrastructure? How is DR impacted?		





# Hybrid Cloud Future

## Initiatives





# SaaS Waiver Criteria

Not a complete list

	ITD On Prem Private Cloud		Cloud Provider 1	Cloud Provider 2	Cloud Provider x
<b>SaaS</b> Software as a Service Prior layer plus Data, Applications			Any SaaS agreements require a Waiver – may allow for specific business cases		
<b>PaaS</b> Platform as a Service Prior layer plus Middleware, Runtime			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Authentication/Authorization impact (How many credentials should state users have?)</li> <li>Network impact – latency/bandwidth/QOS requirements</li> <li>Interfacing applications/data integrations</li> <li>Cost drivers that may cause a fluctuation in anticipated recurring costs (e.g. data transfer rates )</li> <li>Who is ultimately responsible for the security of the data/app? (Vendor/Agency/ITD? Clearly delineate the security role of each party)</li> <li>What are Vendor/Agency/ITD roles for troubleshooting SaaS performance issues? (At point the SaaS enters our network demarc backward?)</li> <li>Records Management requirements</li> <li>Contract Terms (Common items that concern ITD or AG)</li> </ul>		
<b>Managed IaaS</b> Managed Infrastructure as a Service Prior layer plus the OS					
<b>IaaS</b> Infrastructure as a Service Data Center Network, Storage, Servers, Virtualization					
<b>Underlying Infrastructure</b>					



## High Level Cloud Service Summary

- IaaS – Infrastructure as a Service - (Amazon S3, Rackspace)  
PaaS – Platform as a Service - (Microsoft Azure)
  - ITD provides these services. When external cloud services are necessary ITD will procure and manage.
- SaaS – Software as a Service
  - These solutions require a waiver from OMB/ITD since they include embedded hosting services. (NDCC 54-59-22)
  - Sample of items considered
    - Authentication and Authorization requirements
    - Interfacing applications
    - Network impact
    - Security and DR Requirements



Break





**Mark Molesworth**

**Enterprise  
Architecture**





## Project Reviews

### Paper Reviews:

- ND Department of Commerce/Tourism – Website Migration
- ND Department of Health – Women, Infants, and Children Electronic Benefits Transfer



# Department of Human Services



## Causal Factors

- Scope: *The scope of work for the construction of the Affordable Care Act requirements (Phase I of the project) was underestimated.*
- Resources: *Inability of ITD to hire the contract resources at the level originally estimated. This impacted the development of the system.*
- Quality: *ITD QA team's review resulted in essential and appropriate revisions to the Analysis artifact that delayed requirement finalization; functional and unit testing of program code caused system integration testing to also exceed estimated time schedules.*





## Lessons Learned

- Budget cost and time estimates provided by ITD needed to be adjusted after detail requirements had been finalized.
  - Difficult to estimate effort level in advance when dealing with a new program and federal requirements that were not finalized
- Contingency solution was anticipated to be short- term:
  - Not well designed for long-term use (18 months)
  - Impacting daily workloads as well as assigned project subject matter experts



## Recovery Strategy

- DHS Added contract and temporary staff to assist with managing contingency work.
- Transitioned from an “assessment state” to a “determination state”.
- Modified the current online application process to be ACA compliant in order to reduce paper applications.
- Looking at other state systems that are in production and planning to release an RFP to explore options.
- ITD added project management staff to ensure the schedule is kept updated with actual hours and percent of work completed.



## Successful Projects / Processes



NORTH DAKOTA  
DEPARTMENT *of* HEALTH



## **NDIIS – Interoperability Overview**

- As of May 2014 the NDIIS is interoperable with the electronic medical records of 203 individual provider locations and the North Dakota Health Information Network (NDHIN).
  - 175 providers are connected to the NDIIS via the NDHIN.
  - The providers already connected represent 63% of all transactions reported to the NDIIS.



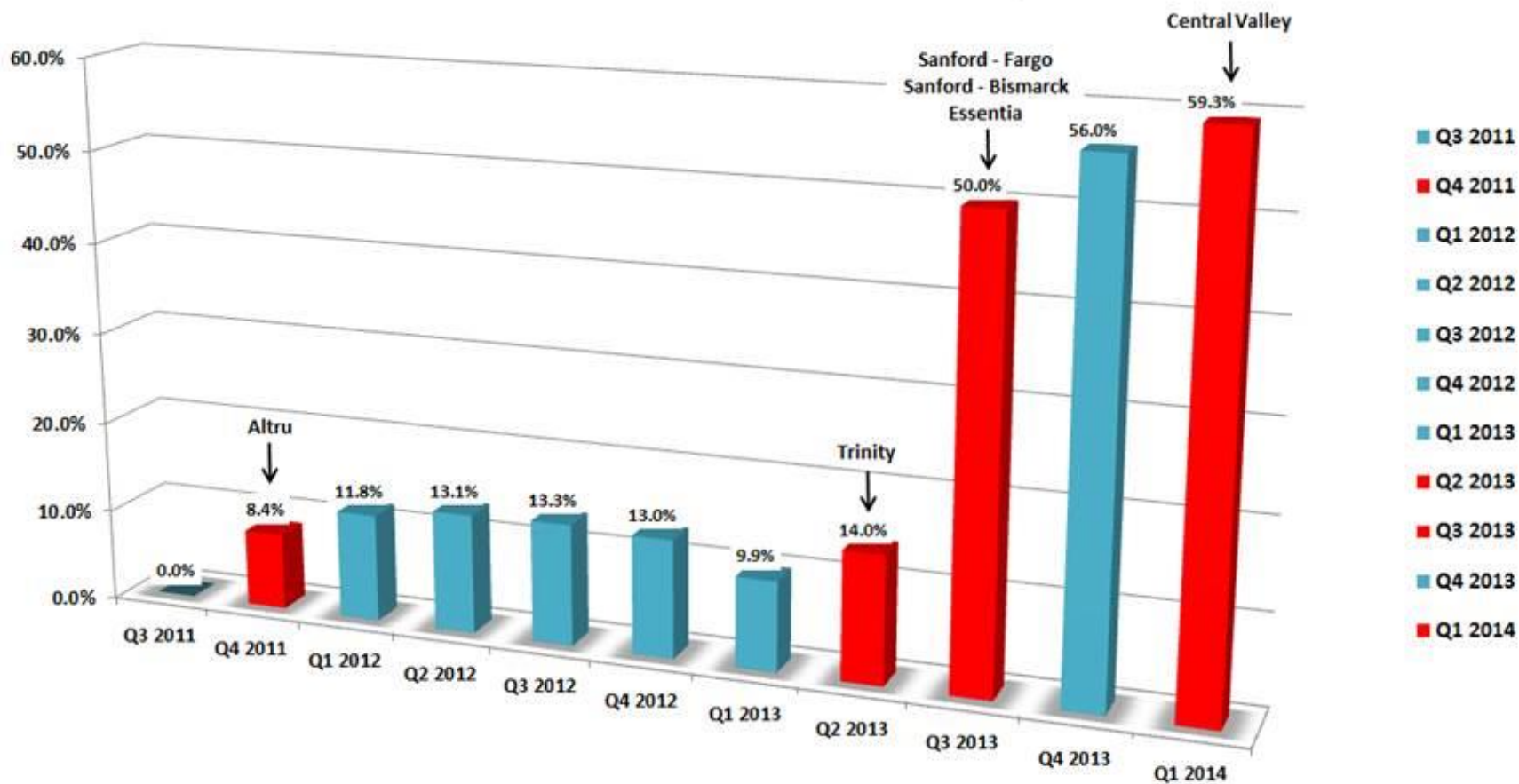
## **NDIIS – Interoperability Overview**

- Data collected during Q4 2013 indicates the participating providers in total submitted an average of 76,375 messages per month. Using an average wage of \$28 and a 60 to 90 second per immunization model, participating providers have saved between \$35,896 and \$53,463 per month or \$430,752 to \$641,550 per year across the state.



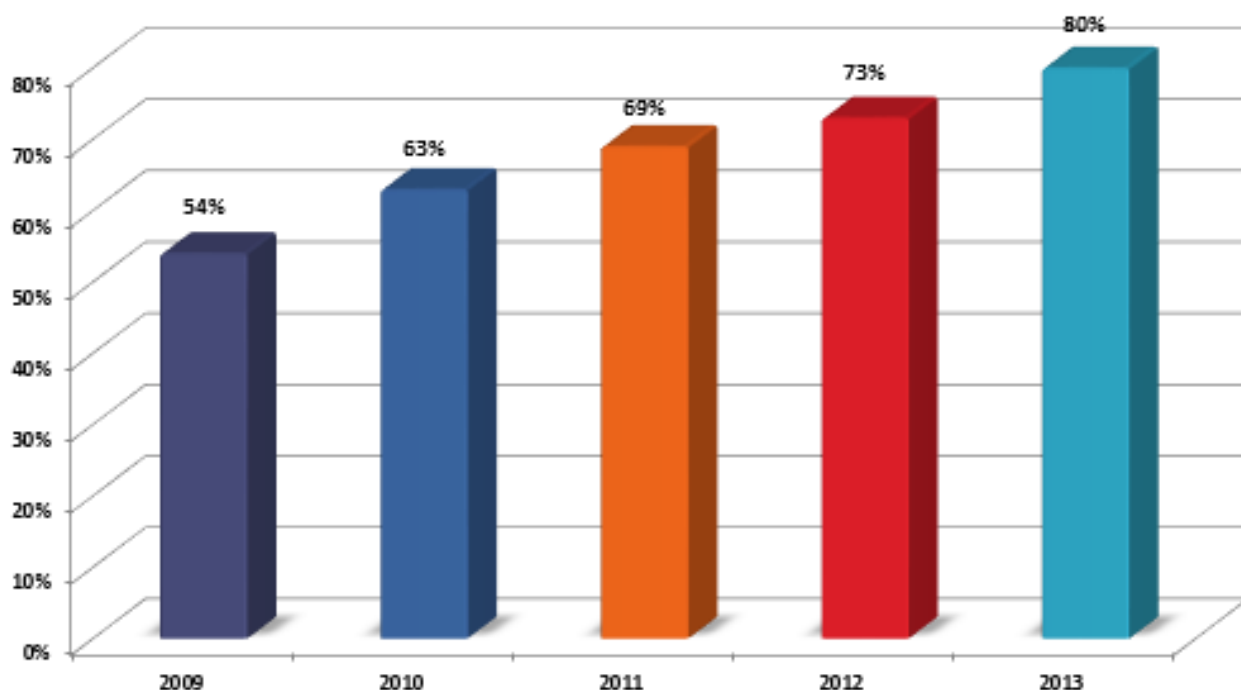


### % of doses added to NDIIS electronically





## The Percent of North Dakota adults 19 and older in the NDIIS





## Be Prepared

- Understand your business processes, including any customer based processes
- Keep requirements stable and consistent
- Document specifications fully



## Pilot

- Start with a single pilot site or staged implementation
- Contains and minimizes impact of issues
- Conduct lessons learned and use them
  - Ongoing lessons learned and adjustments



# Adapt

- Adapt project to match lessons learned
  - Formalized onboarding processes
  - Automated testing site
  - Condensed specification guide
  - Provider readiness assessments





## Relationships

- Vendor/customer relationships
  - High frequency of communication
  - Early and often
- Frequent project team status meetings
- Partnerships
  - ND Health Information Network
  - Noridian Mutual Insurance Company (BCBSND)
  - Information Technology Department
- Develop trusting relationship with project manager



# Project Management

- Objective and unbiased project manager
- Facilitating communication between vendors, customers, and partners
- Change control
- Issue management
- Budget/schedule control (variance)



# **Dan Sipes Deputy CIO**





## ITD 2015-17 Budget Rates

- New Rates will generate an estimated \$3,300,000 additional revenue to ITD for the biennium

### 4 Primary Service Categories

❖ Software Development	=	\$ 3,300,000
❖ Computer Hosting	=	\$ 1,000,000
❖ Network / Telephone	=	\$ 400,000
❖ Pass Through	=	(\$ 1,400,000)

- \$20 Million Bond for ConnectND is Paid in Full July, 2014
  - ❖ Cost Allocation was 71% Higher Ed / 29% State Gov't





## ITD 2015-17 Budget Rates

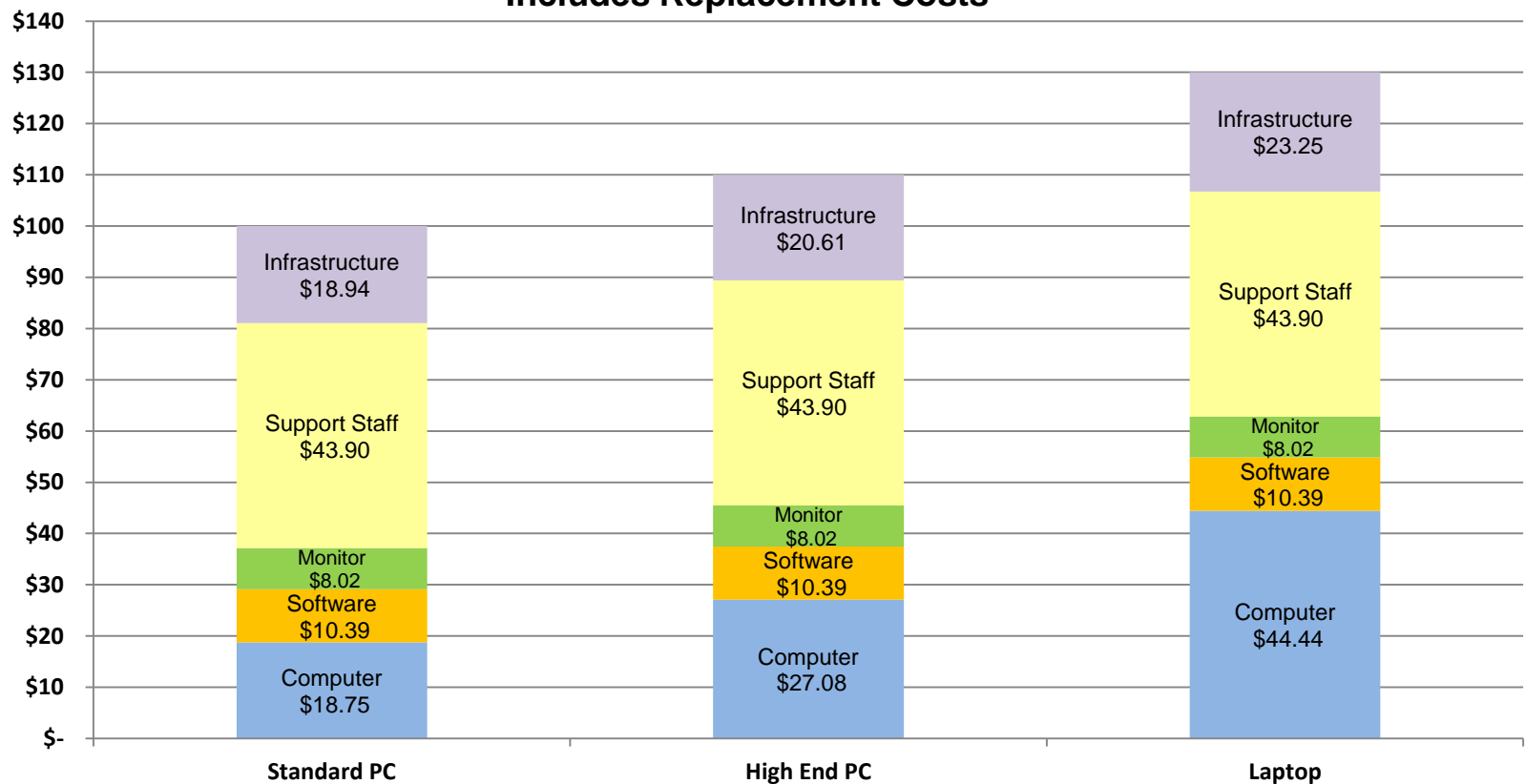
Department #	Agency Name	\$\$\$
		Increase / (Decrease)
110.0	OMB	330,042
112.0	ITD	249,584
160.0	Legislative Council	103,967
180.0	Supreme Court	104,576
201.0	Public Instruction	147,322
215.0	ND University Systems	(1,358,792)
312.0	State Hospital	107,093
325.0	Human Services	2,417,311
485.0	Workforce Safety & Insurance	124,386
801.0	Department of Transportation	814,972





## ITD 2015-17 Desktop Service Rates

Device with Standard Monitor  
Includes Replacement Costs





# **Open Discussion / Closing Comments**

**Next Meeting - September**

**Review and Prioritize  
Proposed Large IT Projects**



THANK YOU!!!